## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of	)
	) Examiner: Tarla Patel
Manfred Piontek et al.	) ) Art Unit: 3772
on HEADREST FOR A	)
PATIENT-BEARING SURFACE	) 
Serial No.: 10/534,837	) Confirmation No. 8927 )
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Hartford, Connecticut, June 26, 2008

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## **RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action dated February 27, 2008, the time for response extending to June 27, 2008 by the accompanying one-month extension of time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**AMENDMENTS TO CLAIMS** begin on page 2; and **REMARKS** begin on page 4.